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App. No.	:	09/785,044	)	
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For	:	AUTOMATED DIAGNOSTIC	)	
		SYSTEM AND METHOD	)	
		INCLUDING REUSE OF	)	
		DIAGNOSTIC OBJECTS	)	
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Examiner	:	Unassigned	)	
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

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Applicant also calls attention to Applicant's co-pending Application Nos. 09/265,226 filed March 8, 1999; 09/588,881 filed June 6, 2000; 09/818,187 filed March 26, 2001 and 09/800,220 filed March 5, 2001. Applicant further calls attention to Applicant's five other co-pending applications related to the above-identified patent application which were filed on the same day as follows:

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Application No.	Title
09/785,047	Automated Diagnostic System and Method Including Alternative Symptoms
09/785,037	Automated Diagnostic System and Method Including Synergies
09/785,045	Automated Diagnostic System and Method Including Encoding Patient Data
09/785,043	Automated Diagnostic System and Method Including Multiple Diagnostic Modes
09/785,046	Automated Diagnostic System and Method Including Disease Timeline

For the patents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449, Applicant offers to supply any references that the Examiner may request under the References Cited heading.

Respectfully submitted,

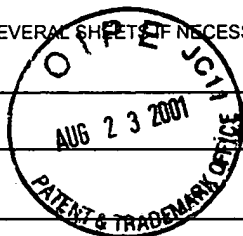
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	7	5,935,060	8/10/1999	Iliff			
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